

Ser. No. 10/621,298

Remarks

Claims 1-6, 9, 10, and 26-41 were pending in the application. No claims were rejected. Claims 3-5 were merely objected to and claims 1, 2, 6, 9, 10, and 26-41 were allowed. By the foregoing amendment, no claims are canceled, claims 3 and 9 are amended, and no claims are added. No new matter is presented.

Interview Summary

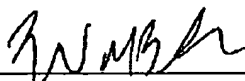
Applicant appreciates the courtesy of an October 5, 2006 telephone interview between Examiner Scott Kastler and attorney William Slate. the examiner proposed the forgoing amendment to claim 3 as overcoming the claim objection w/o need for further amendment to claims 4 and 5. It was agreed to make the amendment.

Claim Objections

Claims 3-5 were objected to as being in improper dependent form. The foregoing amendment renders this moot.

Accordingly, Applicant submits that claims 1-6, 9, 10, and 26-41 are in condition for allowance. Please charge any fees or deficiency or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account of record.

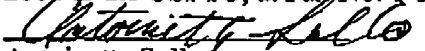
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